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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT EXAMINING OPERATIONS

Art Unit: 2831 (Examiner William H. Mayo III)
Applicant: Paul D. Keppel
Serial No: 09/907,260
Filed: July 17, 2001
Title: EMISSION CONTROL DEVICE AND METHOD

Charlotte, North Carolina
February 28, 2003

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action of November 29, 2002, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

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